# Michigan Department of Treasury 496 (02/06) Auditing Procedures Report

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# GREEN LAKE TOWNSHIP GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY

#### INDEPENDENT AUDIT REPORT

For the Year Ended June 30, 2006

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October 03, 2006 Mr. Paul Biondo, Supervisor Green Lake Township Interlochen, MI

The primary purpose of this letter is to prepare, for management, information which delineates those items encountered during the course of the audit which were either not related to the financial, internal control and compliance reports or were not material enough to comment on relative to them. However, these items might be significant when viewed from a management perspective or in the longer term. This letter is intended only for the use of management and any other parties not informed of these matters might misconstrue their meanings.

#### Our Responsibility under Generally Accepted Auditing Standards

Our responsibility, as described by professional standards, is to plan and perform our audit to obtain reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that the financial statements are free of material misstatement and are fairly presented in accordance with general accepted accounting principles. Because of the concept of reasonable assurance and because we did not perform a detailed examination of all transactions, there is a risk that material errors, irregularities, or illegal acts, including fraud and defalcations, may exist and not be detected by us.

As part of our audit, we considered the internal control structure of the Green Lake Township. Management has the responsibility for adopting sound accounting policies, for maintaining an adequate and effective system of accounts, for safeguarding assets and for maintaining the structure of the internal control system to help assure the proper recording of transactions. Our consideration of the system of internal control was solely for the purpose of determining our audit procedures and not to provide any assurance concerning such internal control structure.

#### Significant Accounting Policies

Management has the responsibility for selection of appropriate accounting policies. In accordance with the terms of our engagement, we will advise management of the appropriateness of the accounting policies and their application. The significant accounting policies used by the Green Lake Township are listed in Note 1. No new accounting policies were adopted and the application of existing policies was not changed during the fiscal year. We noted no transactions entered into the Green Lake Township during the year that were both significant and unusual, and of which, under professional standards, we are required to inform you, of transactions for which there is a lack of authoritative guidance or consensus.

#### Management Judgements and Accounting Estimates

Some accounting estimates are utilized in financial statements prepared by management and are based on management's knowledge and experience about past and current events and assumptions about future events. Certain accounting estimates are particularly sensitive because of their significance to the financial statements and because of the possibility that future events affecting them may differ significantly from those expected. Our conclusions regarding the reasonableness of the estimates are based on reviewing and testing the historical data provided by management and using this data to compute the liability.

#### Significant Audit Adjustments

For purposes of this letter, professional standards define a significant audit adjustment as a proposed correction of the general purpose financial statements that, in our judgment, may not have been detected except through our auditing procedures. These adjustments may include those proposed by us but not recorded by the Green Lake Township that could potentially cause future financial statements to be materially misstated, even though we have concluded such adjustments are not material to the current financial statements. Our audit adjustments, individually and in the aggregate, have a significant effect on the financial reporting process.

COMMENT: The mechanized system is coming along nicely. Continued training and utilization of all available functions will only enhance the financial reporting of the Township.

COMMENT: Invoice cancellation not used on all invoices.

RECOMMENDATION: Invoices should be marked "Paid" so as to ensure that they are not paid again.

COMMENT: Reimbursed expenses turned in on a non-standard form.

RECOMMENDATION: Requests for reimbursement of expenses should be submitted on a standardized form that includes space for the name of the requester, itemization of expenses, signature of the requester, and signature of approval from management.

Again, it is important to remember that this report is for information only and provided to management with the sole intent that it can be evaluated with the potential to improve management practices within the township. Thank you for the opportunity to perform your audit and continue the fine relationship.

Sincerely,

Wilson, Ward CPA Firm

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# INTRODUCTORY SECTION

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# REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

To the Green Lake Township Board Interlochen, Michigan

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Green Lake Township, Grand Traverse County, Michigan, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2006, which collectively comprise the Green Lake Township's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated October 3, 2006. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

#### Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered Green Lake Township's internal control over financial reporting in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting. Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a reportable condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements caused by error or fraud in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. We noted no matters involving the internal control over financial reporting and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses.

#### Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Green Lake Township's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under Government Auditing Standards. However, we noted certain matters that we reported to management of Green Lake Township in a separate letter dated October 3, 2006.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the audit committee, management, township board, and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Wilson Ward CHATira Interlochen, MI October 3, 2006

# FINANCIAL SECTION

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Township Board Green Lake Township, Michigan

We have audited the accompanying statement of net assets, activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Green Lake Township, Michigan as of and for the year June 30, 2006, which collectively comprise Green Lake Township, Michigan's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of Green Lake Township, Michigan's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these general purpose financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the general purpose financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the general purpose financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall general purpose financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, based on our audit and the reports of other auditors, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective of the governmental activities, the business type activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Green Lake as of June 30, 2006, and the respective changes in financial position and cash flows, where applicable, thereof and the budgetary comparison for each major fund for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

The management discussion and analysis and required budgetary comparison information identified in the table of contents, are not a required part of the basic financial statements but are supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued a report dated October 3, 2006 on our consideration of Green Lake Township, Michigan's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contract and grants. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards and should be read in conjunction with this report in considering the results of our audit.

Wilson, Ward CAA Firm Interlochen, MI October 3, 2006

#### TOWNSHIP OF GREEN LAKE

#### Management's Discussion and Analysis

#### **Using this Annual Report**

This annual report consists of a series of financial statements. The Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities provide information about the activities of the Township as a whole and present a longer-term view of the Township's finances. Fund financial statements tell how these services were financed in the short-term, as well as what remains for future spending. Fund financial statements also report the Township's operations in more detail than the government-wide financial statements.

#### The Township as a Whole

The Township's combined net assets decreased 5% from a year ago

General Government expenses decreased by \$12,136 during the year. Included were small increases in all areas with a pronounced increase in elections due to the year and new equipment required.

#### The Township's Funds

The fund financial statements provide detail information about the most significant funds, not the Township as a whole. The Township Board creates funds to help manage money for specific purposes as well as to show accountability for certain activities such as special property tax millage.

The General Fund, Fire Operating Fund, Liquor Law Fund and Ambulance Service Fund pay for most of the Township's governmental services.

#### **Fund Budgetary Highlights:**

Over the course of the year the Township Board was able to maintain the township departments within their prescribed budgets

#### Capital Asset and Debt Administration:

At the end of the 2005-2006 fiscal year, Green Lake Township has invested in a broad range of capital assets, including the Township Hall, Fire and Ambulance Departments, and the Township Park are also listed as assets as well as an Accu-vote voting system and various technological equipments.

As of June 30, 2006, the Township had \$672,237 invested in a broad range of capital assets, including buildings and emergency equipment. In addition, the Township has invested significantly in major and local roads within the Township. These assets are not reported in the Township's financial statements because of Michigan law which makes these roads the property of the County Road Commission (along with the responsibility to maintain them).

#### **Economic Factors and Next Year's Budgets and Rates:**

Green Lake Township's 2005-2006 budget calls for voted millage of 0.7486 mils for the General Fund, 1.4478 mil for the Fire Department General Operating and both are subject to the Headlee Rollback. Monies generated by these millages go to provide state mandated services, the services of our Fire Department and Ambulance Service; a spring trash collection, secretarial services and maintenance and custodial services.

The above can be accomplished by voted millage and the growth in our tax base. Because of the impact of Proposal A, however, the Township needs to continue to watch its budget very closely. The state-wide tax reform act limits growth in taxable value by less than inflation. The mathematical result of this is that the total taxable value for the Township will grow less than by inflation, before considering new property additions.

### General Overview of the Accomplishments of the Township of Green Lake in the 2005-2006 Fiscal Year:

The Township completed the resurfacing of several streets in the Village and the parking area of the Golden Fellowship Hall.

#### **Contacting the Township's Management:**

This financial report is intended to provide our citizens, taxpayers, customers and investors with a general overview of the Township's finances and to show the Township's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional information, we welcome you to contact the clerk's office at (231) 276-9329.

# GREEN LAKE TOWNSHIP Statement of Net Assets All Governmental Wide As Of June 30, 2006

#### Assets

Cash & Investments Receivables Due from EDC Prepaid Expense Land Buildings & Improvements - Net Machinery & Equipment - net Total Assets	\$1,157,132 203,052 100 5,854 130,663 224,181 58,692 1,779,673
Liabilities and Fund Balance	
Liabilities Accounts Payable Accrued Payroll and Benefits Total Current Liabilities  Compensated Absences	9,162 7,548 16,710 3,712
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Fund Equity Net Assets - Unreserved Total Net Assets  Total Liabilities and Fund Balance	1,759,251 1,759,251 \$1,779,673
Reconciliation: Net Assets All Government Fund Types Interfund Liabilities Property Plant and Equipment- Net Net Assets	\$1,527,193 (161,055) 413.535 \$1,779,673

#### Green Lake Township Government Wide Statement of Activities For Year Ended June 30, 2006

		F	rogram Reven	ues		pense) Revenue nges in Net Asse	
			Operating	Capital		na <b>ry</b> Governmen	t
Functions/Programs	Expenses	Charges for Services		Grants and Contributions	Governmental Activities	Business-type Activities	Total
Primary government							
Governmental activities:							(0.455.005)
General government	\$502,594	\$47,269			(\$455,325)		(\$455,325) (364,650)
Public safety	399,446	34,796			(364,650)		(224,740)
Public works	224,740				(224,740) 0		(224,740)
Health and Recreation					0		0
Community and Economic Development	0				0		0
Recreation and Culture	20,415				(20,415)	•	(20,415)
Depreciation Interest on Long Term Debt	20,413				(20,413)		(25,115,
Total Governmental Activities	1,147,195	82,065	0	0	(1,065,131)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	(1,065,131)
Business Type Activities	1,111,100	52,000	· ·	_	(1,1-2-1,1-1,7		` ' ' '
Water and Sewer						0	
Total Primary Government							
General revenues: Taxes							404.000
	Γaxes-genera∣ Γaxes-debt ser√	vice			461,828		461,828 0
	red Revenues				342,366		342,366
	ed Investment l	Earnings			26,871		26,871
Franchise	taxes				71,521		71,521
Miscellane	eous				82,847		82,847
Total General Revenue-Special	Items and Trai	nsfers			985,433		985,433
Changes in Net Assets					(79,698	)	(79,698)
Proceeds From Financing					301,297		301,297
Net Assets - Beginning					1,537,652		1,537,652
Net Assets - Ending					\$1,759,251	\$0	\$1,759,251
Reconciliation:							
Change in Fund Balance (\$59,28)	•						
rad: Outlay	0						
Less: Compensated Absences 3,71:							
Less: Depreciation 20,41: Change in Net Assets (\$79,69)							
Change in Net Assets (\$79,69)	o)						

# GREEN LAKE TOWNSHIP Balance Sheet - All Governmental Fund Types and Discretely Presented Component Units As of June 30, 2006

		Gover	nmental Fund	Types		Component Unit	
	General	Emergency Service Funds	Capital Projects	Non-Major Funds	Total (memo only)	EDC	Total (memo only)
Assets							
Cash & Investments Receivables	\$267,079	\$273,237	\$485,625	\$131,191 203,052	\$1,157,132 203,052	\$3,275	\$1,160,407 203,052
Due from Other Funds	161,055				161,055		161,055
Due from EDC	100				100		100
Prepaid Expense _	5,854				5,854		5,854
Total Assets	434,088	273,237	485,625	334,243	1,527,193	3,275	1,530,467
Liabilities and Fund Balance							
Liabilities							
Accounts Payable	8,924		0		9,162	0	9,162
Accrued Payroll and Benefits	7,548				7,548		7,548
Salaries Payable				404.055	404.055	400	404 455
Due to Other Funds				161,055	161,055	100 0	161,155 0
Due to Other Agencies						U	U
Due on Special Assessments  Amount to be Provided for Deferred Comp.							
Total Liabilities	16,472	238	0	161,055	177,765	100	177,865
1 otal Liabilities	10,112	200	Ū	.0.,000	***************************************		
Fund Equity							
Fund Balance - Reserved					0		
Fund Balance - Unreserved	417,616	272,999	485,625	173,188	1,349,429	3,175	1,196,748
Total Fund Equity	417,616	272,999	485,625	173,188	1,349,429	3,175	1,352,604
Total Liabilities and Fund Balance	\$434,088	\$273,237	\$485,625	\$334,243	\$1,527,193	\$3,275	<b>\$</b> 1,530 <b>,</b> 467

#### **GREEN LAKE TOWNSHIP**

# Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance All Governmental Fund Types and Discretely Presented Component Units For the Year Ended June 30, 2006

	Gov	ernmental Fund T	ypes			Component Unit	
Revenues	General Fund	Emergency Services Fund	Capital Projects	Non-Major Funds	Total	EDC	Total
Taxes	\$156,206	\$297,766			\$453,972	\$0	\$453,972
Penalties		7,856			7,856		7,856
Licenses & Permits	32,850	396			33,246		33,246
State Revenue Sharing	342,366				342,366		342,366
Charges for Services	14,023			34,796	48,819		48,819
Interest & Rentals	22,309			4,562	26,871		26,871
Other Revenues	104,686		18,237	31,445	154,368		154,368
Total Revenues	672,440	306,017	18,237	70,803	1,067,498	0	1,067,498
Expenditures  Current							
Legislative	253,860	0	0		253,860	0	253,860
General Government	248,734	0	0		248,734	0	248,734
Public Safety	98,393	288,438	0	12,615	399,446	0	399,446
Public Works	109,587	0	0	114,399	223,986	0	109,587
Other	0	0	754		754	0	754
Total Expenditures	710,574	288,438	754	127,014	1,126,780	0	1,126,780
Excess Revenue (Expenditures)	(38,134)	17,579	17,483	(56,211)	(59,283)	0	(59,283)
Operating Transfer In/(Out)	193,989	0	0	86,444	280,433	0	0
Fund Balance - Beginning of Year	261,761	255,420	468,142	142,955	1,128,278	3,175	1,131,453
Net Special Assessment	0	0	0		0	0	0
Taxes Fund	0	0	0		0	0	
Fund Balance - End of Year	\$417,616	\$272,999	\$485,625	\$173,188	\$1,349,429	\$3,175	\$1,072,170

# FIDUCIARY FUND

#### GREEN LAKE TOWNSHIP Balance Sheet Trust and Agency Funds As Of June 30, 2006

Assets	Balance Beginning of Year	Additions	Expenditures	Balance End of Year
Assets				
Cash Recreation	\$4,385	\$56	\$0	\$4,441
Bowman Fund	\$1,794	\$0	\$0	1,794
Central Park Maint	153	0	0	153
Cash Tax Funds	12,262	14,510	0	26,772
	\$18,594	\$14,566	\$0	\$33,160

#### Green Lake Township

#### **Notes to Financial Statements**

June 30, 2006

#### NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### A. Reporting Entity

Green Lake Township is a general law township located in Grand Traverse County. The governing body of the township is the township board which is composed of the supervisor, the clerk, the treasurer and two trustees. The township provides the approximately 5,000 residents with fire protection, road maintenance, street lighting and other services.

The financial statements of the Township include those of separately administered organizations that are controlled by or dependent on the Township for financial support. Control or dependence is based on such items as budgetary control, taxing authority, appointment of controlling or governing boards, and other criteria as outlined in GASB Statement #14.

In accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 14 "The Financial Reporting Entity", these financial statements present Green Lake Township County (primary government) and its component units. The criteria established by the GASB for determining the reporting entity includes:

- a) oversight responsibility
- b) fiscal dependency
- c) whether the financial statements would be misleading if data were included

Component units are legally separate organizations for which the elected officials of the primary government are financially accountable. The method of reporting financial data of component units in a column separate from the financial data of the primary government is referred to as discrete presentation.

The component unit should be included in the reporting entity financial statements using the blending method in either of the following circumstances: a) The component unit's governing body of the primary unit and b) the component unit provides services entirely, or almost entirely to the primary government or otherwise exclusively, or almost exclusively, benefits the primary government even though it does not provide services directly to it. The activities have been measured by the standards listed above with the following units being reported as component units with condensed financial statements for those which are discretely presented.

#### DISCRETELY PRESENTED COMPONENT UNITS

The Economic Development Corporation (EDC) is a component unit of Green Lake Township. It was formed for the purpose of assisting the Interlochen Arts Academy in obtaining bond financing for development of the plant assets at the Academy. The agreement is written to insure that all costs of the EDC paid by Green Lake Township are reimbursed by the EDC. In addition all costs of financing and construction as well as repayment of debt is to be paid through an independent construction manager and bond agency by the Academy. This was verified through the bond attorney. Therefore, the presentation of the component unit includes only those revenues and expenses directly involving Green Lake Township.

No other organizations or governmental entities are considered in this report using these definitions.

#### B. Basis of Presentation

Basis of Accounting refers to how revenue and expenditures or expenses are recognized in the account and reported in the financial statements. The basis of accounting, as required under generally accepted accounting principles, varies for each fund.

Beginning with the fiscal year 2003-04 the Township converted to GASB 34 reporting standards. This creates a new report at the fund level which reports the general fund and only major funds with the remainder reported in one column as "Other Non-major Funds". It also eliminates the groups of accounts and the internal service funds. The new top level reports uses full accrual accounting which includes the fixed assets with appropriate depreciation and long term debt. The Trust and Agency Funds are reported separately as are the Proprietary Funds which are reported as "business like" funds.

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting, as are the proprietary fund and fiduciary fund financial statements. Revenue is recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenue in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenue is recognized as soon as it is both measurable and available. Revenue is considered to be available if it is collected within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days to the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures, expenditures relating to compensated absences, and claims and judgements are recorded only when payment is due.

General, special revenue, debt service, capital projects and trust and agency funds should be accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting. Under the modified accrual basis of accounting, revenue is recognized in the accounting period in which it becomes available and measurable. Expenditures are recognized in the accounting period in which the related fund liability is incurred, if measurable.

The accounting policies of Green Lake Township conform to generally accepted accounting principles and include the following fund types:

#### 1. Government Fund Types use modified accrual basis and include -

The general funds account for fiscal resources in use for general types of operations. The general fund is a budgeted fund and any fund balances are considered as resources available for use. Revenues are derived primarily from property taxes and state and federal distributions, grants and other intergovernmental revenues.

The *special revenue funds* account for specific governmental revenues requiring separate accounting because of legal or regulatory provisions or administrative action. These funds are employed to maintain integrity for the various sources of fund.

#### 2. Fiduciary fund types include -

The *Trust and Agency Fund* is unbudgeted and accounts for activities within those areas where in the Township is operating in either a trust or agency status. These funds have no equity, assets are equal to liabilities, and do not include revenues and expenditures for general operations of the Township.

#### C. Basis of Accounting

All governmental funds use the modified accrual basis of accounting. Under this method, revenues are recognized when received in cash except for those which are reasonable to accrue. These are recorded as receivable when measurable and as revenue accrued. Specific types of tax revenue are reported as deferred revenue which are expected to be collected within sixty days. Other delinquent revenue, not expected to be recovered within 60 days, are reported only in the footnotes. Expenditures are recorded when the liability is incurred, except for interest on long term debt which is recorded as payments are made with an adjustment to account for accrued interest at year end.

#### D. Measurement Focus

The accounting and reporting treatment applied to a fund is determined by the current reporting standards of measurement focus. Thus all governmental funds are accounted for in a financial flow measurement basis. This means that only current assets and liabilities are presented on the Balance Sheets and operating statements measure increases and decreases in these net current assets.

#### E. Budgets

All funds are under formal budgetary control. Budgets shown in the financial statements are prepared on a modified accrual basis and consist of those amounts which are controlling during the formal budget approved and amended by the Township Board. Line items contained within the original budget are appropriated and amended only on an activity departmental basis.

#### G. Fixed Assets

All fixed assets are recorded net in the Statement of Net Assets. This includes all assets which are considered of value to the township and do not include public domain assets such as roads, sidewalks and drains. The accrual basis under GASB 34 makes provision for the depreciation of these assets. These assets are valued at historical cost when purchased or Fair Market Value as of the date they have been donated to the Township and depreciated using straight line depreciation at their estimated useful lives of 50 years for buildings and 10 years for equipment.

#### H. Property Taxes

Properties are assessed as of December 31 and the related property taxes become a lien the following July 1 and/or December 31. Real property taxes are collected by the Township Treasurer through February 28th of each year. Any uncollected real property taxes are returned to be collected by the County Treasurer. Personal property taxes continue to be collected by the Township Treasurer.

The SEV and taxable values are:

	Real Property	Personal Propert	y <u>Total</u>
SEV Tax. Value	\$ 275,924,980 \$ 185,817,600	\$ 9,327,720 \$ 9,327,720	\$ 285,252,700 \$ 195,145,320
		Scho	ool District
The millage	rate for the year is:	Traverse Area	Buckley Kingsley
	Non Homestead Summer	31.53940	
	Homestead Summer	13.53940	
	Non Homestead Winter	11.17810	41.61750 38.01750

#### I. Use of Estimates

The process of preparing financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires the use of estimates and assumptions regarding certain types of assets, liabilities, revenues, and expenses. Such estimates primarily relate to unsettled transactions and events as of the date of the financial statements. Accordingly, upon settlement, actual results may differ from estimated amounts

#### **NOTE 2 - BUDGET APPROPRIATIONS**

Public Act 621 of 1978, Section 18, provides that a local unit shall not incur expenditures in excess of the amount appropriated. Given the amendments actually approved there are no material budget variances. Information on budget categories has been included for information only. The budget appropriation is for department only and hence is the legal controlling amount.

#### NOTE 3 - DEPOSITS WITH FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

The Michigan Political Subdivisions Act No. 20, Public Acts of 1943, as amended by Act No. 217, Public Acts of 1982, states the Authority by which Treasurers may invest funds and includes the following:

- a) Bonds, securities, and other obligations of the United States or an agency or instrumentality of the United States.
- b) Certificates of deposit, savings accounts, deposit accounts, or depository receipts of a financial institution, but only if the financial institution is eligible to be a depository of funds belonging to the state under a law or rule of this state or the United States.
- c) Commercial paper rated at the time of purchase within the 2 highest classifications established by not less than 2 standard rating services and that matures not more than 270 days after the date of purchase.
- d) Repurchase agreements consisting of instruments listed in subdivision (a).
- e) Bankers' acceptances of United States banks.
- f) Obligations of this state or any of its political subdivisions that at the time of purchase are rated as investment grade by not less than 1 standard rating service.
- g) Mutual funds registered under the investment company act of 1940, title I of chapter 686, 54 Stat. 789, 15 USC 80a-1 to 80a-3 and 80a-4 to 80a-64, with authority to purchase only investment vehicles that are legal for direct investment by a public corporation.

However, a mutual fund is not disqualified as a permissible investment solely by reason of either of the following:

- i) The purchase of securities on a when-issued or delayed delivery basis.
- ii) The ability to lend portfolio securities as long as the mutual fund receives collateral at all times equal to at least 100% of the value of the securities loaned.
- iii) The limited ability to borrow and pledge a like portion of the portfolio's assets for temporary or emergency purposes.
- h) Obligations described in subdivisions (a) through (g) if purchased through an interlocal agreement under the urban cooperation act of 1967.
- i) Investment pools organized under the surplus funds investment pool act, 1982 PA 367.
- j) The investment pools organized under the local government investment pool act, 1985 PA 121. In bonds, securities and other obligations of the United States, or an agency or instrumentality of the United States, in which the principal and interest is fully guaranteed by the United States.

#### NOTE 4 - TYPES OF DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

The Township had cash and investments, with local banks, with the following balances:

		Carrying Value	Bank Value			
Insured Uninsured Total		\$100,000 <u>\$161,071</u> \$261,071	\$100,000 <u>187,163</u> \$287,163			
Certificates of D	eposit	\$ 23,157				
Investments with Wachovia - (Fair Market Value) \$ 459,601						
Investments have book value approximately the same as fair market value.						
EDC						
Insured	Carrying Val \$ 3,175		In Bank 3,175			

#### **NOTE 5 - PROPERTY TAXES**

As of June 30, 2006 \$1,238 of personal property taxes were delinquent.

#### **NOTE 6 - INTERFUND ACCOUNTS**

There were no inter-fund loans or advances during the audit year. There is a balance due to the general fund from the Ambulance Replacement fund of \$81.

#### **NOTE 7 - INVENTORIES**

No material parts or supply inventories are maintained by the Township.

#### **NOTE 8 - PENSION PLANS**

Green Lake Township's employees participate in either of two plans. One is offered by Municipal Retirement Systems, Inc., and the other by Aetna Life Insurance. Both are plans offered under IRS Code Section 457. These are both trust funds and are no longer available for the payment of the Township general debt. Hence, they have been eliminated from the financial statements.

Green Lake Township has no post employment benefit liability.

#### **NOTE 9 - CONTINGENT LIABILITIES**

Township officials are aware of no contingent liabilities on the part of the township.

#### **NOTE 11 - COMPENSATED ABSENCES**

Employees are allowed to accumulate sick pay at a rate of ½ day per month, with a maximum carryover of 5 days. The Township does not compensate for sick time. However, in accordance with the new policy, an employee may be paid for up to five days as of their anniversary date.

#### **NOTE 12 - BUDGET VARIANCES**

Green Lake Township did not have any significant unfavorable budget variances for the year. The one area of concern was in general government which was caused primarily by the accrual of one weeks payroll and associated benefits.

#### **NOTE 13 - RISK MANAGEMENT**

Green Lake Township maintains commercial insurance to cover needed liability and other insurance.

#### **NOTE 14 - LONG TERM DEBT**

Green Lake Township has no long term debt

# SUPPLEMENTAL DATA SECTION

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To the Township Board Green Lake Township Interlochen, MI

We have audited the combined financial statements of Green Lake Township for the year ended June 30, 2006. Our audits were made for the purpose of forming an opinion on the combined financial statements taken as a whole. The accompanying schedules, as listed in the table of contents, are presented for purposes of the additional analysis and are not a required part of the combined financials statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audits of the combined financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the combined financial statements taken as a whole.

Interlochen, MI October 3, 2006

Wilson Ward CIA Firm

# General Fund

#### GREEN LAKE TOWNSHIP Balance Sheet General Fund As Of June 30, 2006

Assets	
Cash & Investments Receivable EDC Prepaid Insurance Due from Special Assessments Due from Other Funds Total Assets	\$267,079 100 5,854 161,055 0 434,088
Liabilities and Fund Balance	
Liabilities Accounts Payable Accrued Payroll & Pension	8,924 7,548
Total Liabilities	16,472
Fund Equity Reserved for Construction (Special Revenue) Unreserved Fund Balance	0 417,616
Total Fund Balance	417,616
Total Liabilities and Fund Equity	\$434,088

# GREEN LAKE TOWNSHIP Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance General Fund For the Year Ended June 30, 2006

	Original Budget	Revised Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)
Revenue			, (0:00)	(omavorable)
Current Property Taxes Licenses and Permits State Shared Revenues Reimbursements Earned Interest Penalties and Interest Rents and Royalties Service Revenue Cable Franchise Other taxes Leagues Revenues	\$148,990 18,000 355,125 0 3,500 1,200 5,500 14,850 38,000 2,200 16,000	\$164,767 18,000 344,513 0 3,500 1,500 5,500 15,000 49,000 2,200 18,000	\$156,206 32,850 342,366 11,108 10,816 1,577 9,916 14,023 71,521 513 18,557	(\$8,561) 14,850 (2,147) 11,108 7,316 77 4,416 (977) 22,521 (1,687) 557
Other Income	45,000	28,000	2,986	(25,014)
Total Revenues	648,365	649,980	672,440	22,460
Total Funds Available	648,365	649,980	672,440	22,460
Expenditures				
Legislative Township Board: Salaries and Wages Benefits Office Supplies Professional Services Dues and Fees Legal Fees Insurance and Bonds Maintenance Capital Outlay Law Enforcement Employee Costs Other Total Township Board	278,199	278,199	49,519 29,974 12,374 33,728 23,443 5,636 20,983 14,138 0 63,836 0 230 253,860	24 339
General Government: Township Supervisor: Salaries and Wages Benefits Education & Training Mileage and Travel Supplies Membership/Dues Utilities-Phone Miscellaneous			34,839 14,155 679 1,009 42 353 746 100	24,339
Total Township Supervisor	\$39,439	\$53,594	\$51,922	\$1,672

#### GREEN LAKE TOWNSHIP

### Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance General Fund

#### For the Year Ended June 30, 2006

	Oddina	Davisad		Variance
	Original Budget	Revised Budget	Actual	Favorable (Unfavorable)
Elections: Salaries and Wages Mileage Education & Training	Budget	Budget	\$1,227 13 0	(omato.asto)
Printing/Publishing Dues and Fees			40 0	
Maintenance and Repairs Office Supplies Capital Outlay			0 14 0	
Total Elections	1,320	1,320	1,295	25
Assessor: Salaries and Wages Benefits			42,228 16,227	
Supplies Postage Membership Dues			686 1,538 1,534	
Education and Training Professional Services Mileage			0 0 374	
Cell Phone Capital Outlay			348 0	
Total Assessor	49,378	65,605	62,935	2,670
Clerk:				
Salaries and Wages Deputy Clerk			34,839 3,113	
Benefits			7,963	
Supplies			241	
Memberships and Dues Mileage			2,044 387	
Maintenance			100	
<b>Education and Training</b>			879	
Utilities/Cell Phone			378	
Capital Outlay Total Clerk	\$45,639	\$53,602	0 \$49,943	\$3,659
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#### GREEN LAKE TOWNSHIP

#### Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance General Fund

For the Year Ended June 30, 2006

	Original Budget	Revised Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)
Board of Review:				
Salaries and Wages			\$800	
Education and Training			0	
Mileage Office Supplies			0 482	
Supplies			402	
Total Board of Review	1,690	1,690	1,282	408
Treasurer:				
Salaries and Wages			34,839	
Deputy Treasurer			3,009	
Benefits			7,963	
Supplies			1,692	
Professional Fees Memberships and Dues			3,190	
Mileage			2,264 159	
Printing			51	
Utilities/Cell Phone			291	
Repairs/Maintenane			100	
Education and Training			1,221	
Total Treasurer	48,089	56,052	54,778	1,274
Township Hall and Grounds:				
Salaries and Wages			0	
Public Utilities  Maintenance and Repairs			14,072	
Memberships and Dues			9,241 0	
Supplies			3,265	
Capital Outlay			0,200	
Total Township Hall	35,000	35,000	26,578	8,422
Total General Government	\$220,555	\$266,863	\$248,734	\$18,130

### GREEN LAKE TOWNSHIP Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance

#### General Fund For the Year Ended June 30, 2006

	Original	Revised		Variance Favorable
	Budget	Budget	Actual	(Unfavorable)
Public Safety:			_	,
Planning and Zoning:				
Salaries and Wages			\$45,337	
Benefits			7,963	
Education and Training Supplies			40 361	
Memberships and Dues			1,310	
Professional Fees			40,283	
Mileage and Travel			406	
Cell Phone			288	
Capital Outlay			0	
Education			40	
Printing Total Planning and Zoning	00.007	00.007	773	
Total Planning and Zoning	98,037	98,037	96,801	98,037
Inspections				
Salaries and Wages			0	
Supplies			0	
Dues and Fees			0	
Cell Phone			0	
Professional Fees Totals Inspections			0	
Totals Hispections	0	0	0	0
Board of Appeals:				
Salaries and Wages			1,160	
Supplies			0	
Dues and Fees			0	
Education			100	
Printing Mileage			218 114	
Total Board of Appeals	4,925	4,925	1,592	3,333
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Total Public Safety	102,962	102,962	98,393	101,370
Public Works:				
Golden Fellowship Hall:				
Salaries and Wages			0	
Supplies			661	
Electric			477	
Repairs/Maintence			6,604	
Capital Outlay Gas			2.076	
Phone			2,076 0	
Total Golden Fellowship Hall	\$31,100	\$31,100	\$9,818	\$21,282
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#### GREEN LAKE TOWNSHIP

#### Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance General Fund

#### For the Year Ended June 30, 2006

	Original Budget	Revised Budget	Actual	Favorable (Unfavorable)
Dadie and Description			•	
Parks and Recreation Wages			\$2,025	
Contracted Labor			4,813	
Supplies			13,255	
Electric			834	
Repairs/Maintenance			21,585	
Field Maintenance			1,035	
Insurance and Bonds			0	
Dues and Fees			840	
Cell Phone			621	
Capital Outlay		17.445	0	0.407
Total Parks and Recreation	47,415	47,415	45,008	2,407
Street Lighting	9,500	9,500	6,718	2,782
Airport	2,227	2,227	1,764	
Cemetary	7,050	7,050	4,387	2,663
Employment taxes	19,000	19,000	18,225	775
Deferred Comp	25,000	25,000	23,667	1,333
Contingency	5,000	5,000	0	
Total Public Works	102,292	146,292	109,587	36,705
Total Expenditures	704,008	794,316	710,574	180,543
Excess Revenues	-55,643	-144,336	-38,134	106,202
Net Special Assessment			0	
Fund Balance - Beginning of Year			261,761	
Transfer In/(Out)		_	193,989	
Unreserved Fund Balance - End of Year		=	\$417,616	=

# Non Major Funds

#### GREEN LAKE TOWNSHIP Combined Balance Sheet - Non Major Funds As Of June 30, 2006

Assets	Liquor Law Enforcement	Ambulance Replacement	Metro Fund	Special Assessment	Total
Cash & Investments Receivables Write-Offs Due from Other Funds Due from EDC Prepaid Expense Land	\$10	\$102,190 47,530 (5,452)	\$28,991	160,974	\$131,191 208,504 (5,452) 0 0 0
Buildings & Improvements  Machinery & Equipment					0 0
Total Assets	10	144,268	28,991	160,974	334,243
Liabilities and Fund Balance					
Liabilities Accounts Payable	0	0	0	0	0
Salaries Payable Due to Other Funds Due to Other Agencies Due on Special Assessments Amount to be Provided for Deferred Comp.		81		160,974	161,055 0 0 0
Total Liabilities	0	81	0	160,974	161,055
Fund Equity Investment in Fixed Assets Fund Balance - Reserved					
Fund Balance - Unreserved	10	144,187	28,991	0	173,188_
Total Fund Equity	10	144,187	28,991	0	173,188
Total Liabilities and Fund Balance	\$10	\$144,268	\$28,991	\$160,974	\$334,243

#### **GREEN LAKE TOWNSHIP**

#### Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance Non Major Funds

For the Year Ended June 30, 2006

Revenues	Liquor Law Enforcement	Ambulance Replacement	Metro Fund	Special Assessment	Total
Taxes	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Penalties					0
Licenses & Permits					0
State Revenue Sharing					0
Charges for Services		25,697			25,697
Interest & Rentals		4,562			4,562
Other Revenues	3,470	20	9,099	27,955	40,544
Total Revenues	3,470	30,279	9,099	27,955	70,803
Expenditures					
Current					
Legislative	0	0	0	0	0
General Government					0
Public Safety	6,930	5,685			12,615
Public Works			0	114,399	114,399
Other					0
Total Expenditures	6,930	5,685	0	114,399	127,014
Excess Revenue (Expenditures)	(3,460)	24,594	9,099	(86,444)	(56,211)
Operating Transfer In/(Out)				86,444	86,444
Fund Balance - Beginning of Year	3,470	119,593	19,892		142,955
Fund Balance - End of Year	\$10	\$144,187	\$28,991		\$173,188